Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, The economic well-being of this state and of this nation is dependent upon a sound transportation system; and,

WHEREAS, The transportation policies implemented by state and federal regulatory bodies have provided this country with the most efficient transportation services that exist anywhere; and,

WHEREAS, The impressive growth of the various modes of transportation has been in response to the public's ever increasing demands for specialized, flexible, low-cost, efficient transportation services to meet the changing business patterns of this country; and,

WHEREAS, The military security of this country and of the world depends on the capacity of the transportation industry to move men, women, and material; and,

WHEREAS, The men and women who constitute the work force of this vast transportation industry should be recognized for their outstanding contribution to the daily needs of every farm, home, and business in the communities of this state and this country:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim May 16-20, 1988, as

NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION WEEK

and May 20, 1988, as

NATIONAL DEFENSE TRANSPORTATION DAY

in South Dakota, and I urge all citizens to join with the state Department of Transportation, Transportation Clubs International, the National Defense Transportation Association, Delta Nu Alpha Transportation Fraternity, the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials, and other transportation-related groups and individuals in observing this week and day in honor of the people of this industry.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Eleventh Day of April, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Eight

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE